

# Powering Sydney's Future

## POTTS HILL TO ALEXANDRIA TRANSMISSION CABLE PROJECT COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION

### Construction of ancillary pits at Yangoora Road, Lakemba

TransGrid is installing a new underground electricity cable from Potts Hill to Alexandria. The Powering Sydney's Future project will help ensure a safe, reliable and affordable electricity supply for Sydney's CBD and surrounding areas. You can view a map of the cable route at [www.transgrid.com.au/psf](http://www.transgrid.com.au/psf).

As part of the project, we are installing underground fibre optic communications equipment along the route of the new electricity cable. Ancillary pits are required for this equipment.

Work to install ancillary pits at **Yangoora Road, Lakemba** will start from **Monday, 7 December** and will take around one week, weather and ground conditions weather permitting (see map overleaf).

#### Work activities

- > Installing temporary fencing and safety barriers around the work site.
  - > Trimming trees may be required to create a safe distance from plant and equipment (conducted by a trained arborist).
  - > Excavating ancillary pits up to two metres long and two metres wide either in the road, footpath or grass verge. Precise locations of the ancillary pits will be determined once joint bay or trenching excavation has started.
  - > Installing precast concrete sections in the pit to form the floor and walls of the ancillary pits.
  - > Excavating a narrow trench to connect the pit to the cable trench in the road.
  - > In the event of wet weather, using a de-watering pump/vacuum truck as required.
  - > Temporarily restoring the road to allow normal traffic flow, and restoring the footpath and grass verge as required.
- Our team will return at a later date to install the communication cables. We will write to you again before we start this work.

#### Work hours

Standard work hours are **7am – 6pm, Monday to Friday** and **8am – 1pm on Saturdays**.

#### How will the work affect you?

- > **Yangoora Road will be temporarily closed** to through traffic during the work. Traffic detours and traffic control will be in place for the safety of workers and road users. Yangoora Road will remain open to local residents under traffic control.
- > There will be some noise during the excavation work, which we will make every effort to keep to a minimum.
- > There will be a loss of street parking while work is in progress.
- > Road users may experience temporary delays in accessing local properties.
- > The footpath may be temporarily closed, however we will always provide an alternative route.
- > If we anticipate that your driveway access may be disrupted, we will inform you in advance and discuss arrangements.

#### Contact us

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Powering Sydney's Future project team on 1800 955 588 or at [psf@transgrid.com.au](mailto:psf@transgrid.com.au)



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## Location of ancillary pits.



### COVID-19 Safety protocols

The health and safety of our people, customers and the community and ensuring a reliable supply of electricity to NSW and the ACT are our highest priorities during the COVID-19 crisis.

TransGrid and our contractors, as a minimum, adhere to the recommendations of SafeWork NSW along with the advice of other state and federal authorities to effectively manage the risk of COVID-19 to workers and others in the work environment. This involves maintaining effective controls including social distancing, stringent hygiene and specific work planning and access protocols at our work sites.



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